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Claim 7, column 22, line 24, please change “selected time period in response to a selection of a point on the graph of name entities, presenting the user with an overview of story segments containing the selected named entity.” to read

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